2021 SPP/APR Stakeholder Improvement Strategies Feedback Process

YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL SESSIONS

SUMMARY

Indicator 1 Graduation

What ideas do you have to improve graduation rates?

- "What I think is talk more to students pull them out more--out of classes and see what's going on."
- "Make sure you talk to the students and make sure there enjoying the classes their taking."
- "Provide more race and ethnicity courses such as African American history. Make a multicultural class mandatory for graduation."
- "Teach students with IEPs how they can best utilize their abilities and interests in environments like colleges or long-term career settings. Keep discussions focused on what they can do to grow."
- "To improve graduation rates, you should help students in class when help is needed on their work."
- "Having good grades and making plans to see what you want to do after high school."
- "Probably meet with your counselor."
- "Adapt work to different ways people learn to make it easier for them."

Indicator 3 Assessment

What ideas do you have to support improved results/outcomes for student performance on state assessment?

- "Studying with a buddy."
- "Self-Advocating for accommodations in the classroom."
- "To improve state performance on state assessment you need to help kids on their classwork when they need help on it."

Indicator 4 Suspension / Expulsion

What ideas do you have to improve discipline practices?

- "Make it more of a learning experience in order to have it not just have a punishment."
- "Talk to parents more about their children's future."
- "Make sure to make an attempt to connect with the student before you discipline them."
- "What are the discipline practices in schools?"

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• "Try to help them improve the way they behave based on how they react to things and think."

Indicator 13 Transition

What ideas do you have to improve transition services?

- "Have teachers help you to make sure that you are successful."
- "As the student is getting ready to leave make sure you check up on them (I am personally going through this now, I have a great team) but make sure you break up the amount of work they get in a week/day."
- "Develop shadowing programs in areas of interest."
- "Self-advocating in the workplace."

Additional thoughts/questions:

• "Does your disability change when you get older?"